

Great Exuma, British West Indies, have erected their own outdoor theatre, where they stage their own productions.

Champion News Items Reported

Rev. A. W. Eller filled his regular appointment at Mt. Pleasant church Sunday. Besides delivering a wonderful sermon, he taught the adult ladies class in Sunday school in a most interesting manner. A highlight feature of the day was a solo rendered by little Mary Alice McGee with Lucille McGee at the piano. The song was entitled "You Can Take the Whole World But Give Me Jesus."

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cothran of Baltimore, Md., are visiting relatives in this and Hays communities. They will return Tuesday to Baltimore where Mr. Cothran holds a war job. Mrs. Cothran is the former Miss Geneva Church.

Mr. J. A. Fairchild spent the week-end visiting in the home of his nephew, Mr. Tom Fairchild of Watauga county.

Mrs. C. M. Brown went to Fort Bragg Sunday to visit her husband. Pvt. C. M. Brown who has recently been inducted into the army.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McGee Sunday were Misses Evelyn McGee and Bettie Sue Huffman, Mrs. Hal Church of North Wilkesboro, and Miss Mozelle McGee, of Winston-Salem.

Rev. A. W. Eller visited a number of families in this community the past week. He is endeavoring to stir up interest in the

Tennessee Ramblers Coming To The Liberty



The Tennessee Ramblers, one of the oldest name Hillbilly Bands in the South, will be seen on the screen in their new picture "Swing Your Partner" and on the stage in person, Monday. They have recorded for the past ten years; made four movies, two with Gene Autry, one with Tex Ritter, and their latest, a Republic Picture, titled "Swing Your Partner." The Ramblers have been heard over many big Radio Stations, but their longest stay has been on Station WBT, Charlotte.

A five piece Novelty Band featuring Jack Gillette, who is very versatile, plays violin, trumpet, and master of novelties, such as music on balloons, hand pump, bazooka, and novelties one must

Ferguson News Items In Brief

Ferguson, June 28.—Revival services have been in progress all last week at the Advent Christian church conducted by the pastor, Rev. B. L. Isbel, of Lenoir, and Rev. W. L. Trivette, of Boone, a former pastor of this church. Elder Trivette has been doing the preaching and has delivered some timely sermons. He is a man noted for his earnestness and utter simplicity in his faith. No child ever believed in a Santa Claus with any more candor than he believes in his religious faith and while one may not agree with him in all of his interpretations and opinions there is no one who would doubt or fail to respect his sincerity. He is truly familiar with the scriptures and we think the saying quoted from some one "In manners gentle, affections mild, in wit a man, simplicity a child" is very fittingly applied to him. The meeting closed Sunday night with a large and attentive congregation present.

Fathers Day, June 20, was very fittingly observed in this community especially in two homes. It was indeed a happy occasion for the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Walsh which brought together all the children and grandchildren making a total of 49. All enjoyed a picnic dinner on the lawn about the noon hour. The afternoon was spent in singing old and new hymns in which all present took part. A handsome wrist watch was presented to Mr. Walsh by his children. While the occasion was a complete surprise to him, Mr. Walsh remarked that it was a most enjoyable and happy occasion to him and one he would never forget.

Also on the same day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. West, the community's oldest citizen, the venerable Thomas C. West was honored by the presence of all of his children and most of his grandchildren. This highly respected and aged parent had just passed his eighty-seventh birthday in May and it was a real pleasure for him to have his kinsmen visit him on this occasion of Fathers Day. Among those sharing the sumptuous dinner served and the happiness of Mr. West were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Walker, Miss Hazel Walker, Mr. and Mrs. George Walker, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Triplett and daughters, Misses Gray and Annie Ruth Triplett, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. West, all of the community and Mr. W. R. West and Miss Ruth West, of Lenoir.

Mr. Chas. Mitchell, of Lenoir, visited friends here Sunday and attended services at the A. C. Church Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Proffit of Wilkesboro, were visitors here last week.

Mrs. Jay McGee, formerly Miss Boadie Minton, of Kings Creek community, has been spending some time in the home of her brother, Mr. Chas. Minton.

"Oft to the Harvest did the sickle yield" to quote from Grady's Ellegy, we believe, has been the order of the day among farmers for the last few weeks, and while a rather large crop of grain has been harvested the quality and yield have not been as good as last year. Corn crops are looking fine and some good showers would be welcome at this time.

Mrs. J. C. West was the teacher in the Bible school conducted each day last week at the Adventist church. Quite a number of children took advantage of the school. The Grange met last Tuesday night and held a good meeting. A number of business items were transacted and a literary program was presented.

Air Cadet Blanks At Draft Boards

Young men between the ages of 17 and 24 who wish to become aviation cadets may secure applications blanks from local selection boards without writing to the War Relocation Authority office. It was learned here today.

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coming revival which will be the second week in August. Our pastor will be ably assisted by Rev. J. C. Canipe of Boone. We feel very fortunate in having Rev. Mr. Canipe with us and hope for a wonderful revival.

Miss Edna Hall made a business trip to Elkin Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Barnette of North Wilkesboro, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Barnette.

Mrs. Hal Church, Mr. and Mrs. Claude McGee, Mrs. Virginia Kilby and Miss Carolyn Greer motored to Winston-Salem Friday on a shopping tour.

Mrs. Vernon Dyer visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Blackburn, this past week.

News Of Lewis Fork Community

Mr. and Mrs. Roby McNeil and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Eller, Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. Dyer and daughter, Estie, and Mrs. York Dyer visited Mrs. Dyer's sister, Mrs. Rebecca Blevins, Sunday evening.

Born to Pvt. and Mrs. R. C. Jones a boy, Jimmy Clinton, on June 15. Pvt. Jones is a parachutist and is located at Alliance, Neb. He is expected to visit his mother, Mrs. J. M. Jones, of Purlear, this week.

Little Miss Joan Eller spent the past week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Foster and child, visited Mr. Foster's father, Mr. Doughton Foster, Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Stikes and daughter, Edna, visited in North Wilkesboro Saturday.

We regret to report that Mrs. W. A. Triplett is ill. We hope she recovers quickly.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Travis Eller a girl, Janet Gale, on June 14.

Mr. Elbert Elledge visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stikes, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Stikes and daughter, Marie, accompanied Mrs. Elledge home.

Mrs. Johnson Woodie has moved back to this community. Mrs. Johnson has been living in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamby visited Mrs. Hamby's sister, Mrs. Albert Goforth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Riggs and children, visited Mrs. Riggs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Foster Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Welch and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stikes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson McNeil and daughter, Dalphine, spent sometime with Mrs. McNeil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Eller, Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Jones and granddaughter, Jerry Eller, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Yates, of Personville.

Yank Dyer left Friday for Fort Bragg. He is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dyer who is now in the army. Pvt. Carl Dyer is located in Florida and Sgt. Haynes Dyer is located in Tennessee.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Caroline Holman, an aged lady of this community, has been sick. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

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Washington.—Legislation dropping an "A" out of the WAACS and placing its members in the United States Army until six months after the war was passed by the Senate yesterday and sent to the White House.

The Senate adopted a conference report renaming the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, raising the age limits for membership from 45 to 50 and placing the WACs under army regulations.

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